

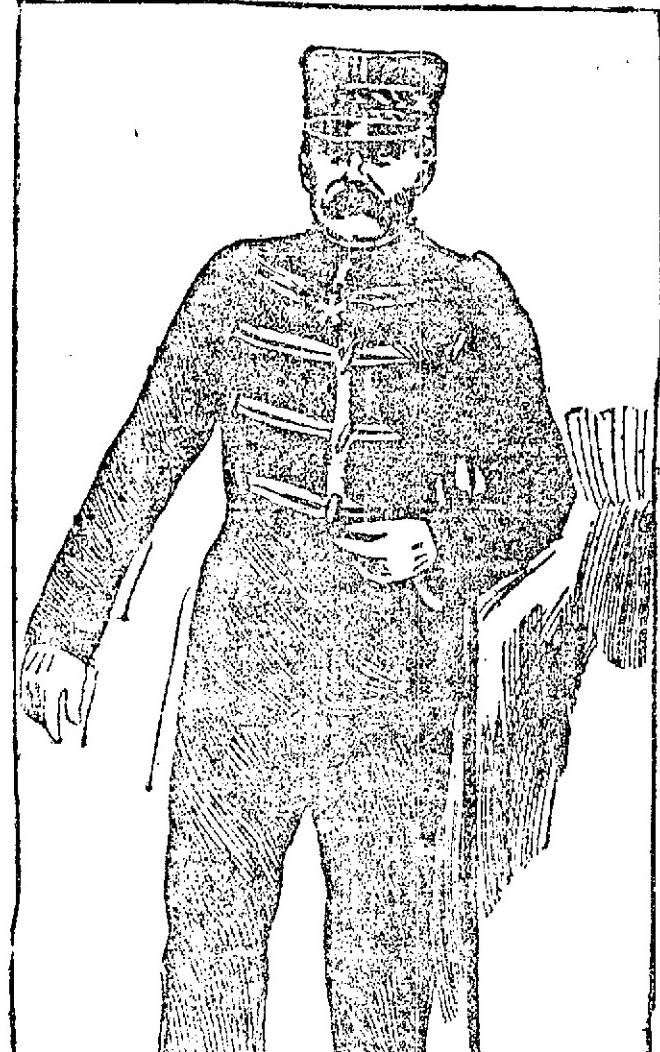
# TOMORROW THE VERDICT COMES

Universal Feeling That Dreyfus Will Be Again Condemned.

**RENNES, Sept. 8.**—The announcement was made this afternoon that the verdict of the court martial will be rendered tomorrow. M. Labori forgoes the right to speak for the defense, lest by doing so he irritate the judges and destroy the good effect hoped for by the speech of M. Demange.

The court, therefore, will deliberate on the conclusion of M. Demange's speech, and judgment will probably be delivered before noon.

There is nearly universal feeling this evening that Dreyfus will be condemned.



GENERAL GONSE  
One of the bitterest foes of Dreyfus.

There was a crowd in the courtroom before the court martial of Capt. Dreyfus, the court would have condemned him without a second thought if Captain Alfonso had not been present.

There was a large attendance of officials and newspaper writers who sat in the gallery in order to hear from persons at the court hour a long time ago.

At the first hearing, however, a meeting of the court was adjourned, and the trial was suspended until the next day.

At the adjourned session on the day was General Gonse, of Rennes, a leading member of the defense, who was evidently anxious about the前途 of his client.

Dreyfus today appeared cheerful. He smiled and shook hands with his counsel after leaving the court. The English Justice followed the speech of M. Demange with great interest, and the French Justice also.

The French was of the chief witnesses to the trial, and the French Justice M. Labori, a former Minister of Justice, M. Demange, former Minister of War, all the principals and others having their names by order of the Minister of War.

His client has also left Rennes, although he has no rank in the army. Dreyfus returned to M. Demange with

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# SAYS DREYFUS IS INNOCENT.

Germany at No Time Had Any Relations With Capt. Dreyfus.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leader Wires.

BERLIN, Sept. 8.—The Reichstag, Mr. Bismarck, and Mr. von Buelow, the Foreign Minister, have issued a statement to the effect that the imperial embassy in France never maintained, either directly or indirectly, any relations with Dreyfus.

**VON BUELOW'S STATEMENT.**

"Secretary of State Von Buelow, in the Reichstag, said yesterday, 'Mr. Carnegie's offer is a fine offer. We could not have desired a better one at present. THE TRIBUNE is doing good work in this. It deserves a great deal of credit and Mr. Carnegie too should be appreciated. I hope the city will take up the matter

# ANDREW CARNEGIE'S FINE OFFER WELL RECEIVED BY OAKLAND PEOPLE.

Many Suggestions Are Made as to Where the New Library Building Should Be Located--Library Trustees Will Meet This Evening and Take Action--Mayor Snow Will Act.

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The magnificent offer of \$50,000 for Oakland's Free Public Library, made and announced through THE TRIBUNE yesterday, may well and safely be already called a gift. Mr. Carnegie's conditions are as generous and philanthropic as his offer. They were obviously made to be complied with, and they reveal as clearly as the gift itself its author's far-seeing love and concern for the cause of the common popular education and the general welfare of mankind.

As a condition precedent the city or its people are to provide a site for the building which Mr. Carnegie is to erect, and as a condition continuous suitable care of the Library is to be assured.

The other stipulation, as to the amount of the annual expenditure,

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is met several times over by the city's customary library appropriations and by the maximum prescribed and made obligatory by the city charter.

In the acknowledging of this donation, and in the steps toward fulfilling its conditions, delicacy and consideration worthy of Mr. Carnegie ought to be manifested by the city and the people of Oakland. There should be no suggestion or thought of piecing out Mr. Carnegie's munificent contribution with smaller ones for a building.

Mr. Carnegie has not made his gift conditional upon any others. On the contrary, he has named a sum which a day ago would have been considered by everyone ample for the items of a building. Whether the new home of the Oakland Free Public Library shall be called by the name of its giver or

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not, whatever impuses to manifestations of public spirit on the part of our citizens shall have been imparted by Mr. Carnegie's example must be directed toward the more and more effective interior equipment of our Library.

The city may now well afford a very handsome setting for the Library. With so beautiful a home provided by Mr. Carnegie, isolated and alone, our citizens can hardly do less than to endow, or otherwise greatly extend, its book funds and its art resources.

In due, all Oakland, and with it all California, send hearty acknowledgments to Mr. Andrew Carnegie, across a continent and an ocean, for his timely and superb gift, and recognize in it an event that shall in many ways contribute to our people's present and permanent welfare.

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## MAYOR SNOW WILL SEND A CABLEGRAM TO ANDREW CARNEGIE.

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Mayor Snow will attend a meeting of the Free Library Trustees this evening and discuss with the Board the offer made by Mr. Carnegie. The Mayor will then send a cable to Mr. Carnegie.

In speaking about the generous offer of Mr. Carnegie, Mayor Snow said:

"This is the best thing that has happened for Oakland for a long time. Tonight, on behalf of the city, I shall cable to Mr. Carnegie the thanks of the people of Oakland. Of course, many well-informed people will insist that the city should at once start out by subscription to raise the necessary money with which to purchase a suitable site for a library building."

To me it seems as though the better way to raise the money would be to provide for it in the contemplated bond issue. We could build a better house the day after every one is supposed to have an interest in it. So I should say, 'Let every one according to his wealth help pay for it.' If several rich gentlemen would offer, we could easily get a good deal of money from the city, which some of us at times have feared would always be nothing more than sort of back door for San Francisco."

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## WHAT PEOPLE SAY ABOUT FINE OFFER OF A RICH MAN.

**D. EDWARD COLLINS.** President of the California Bank. The offer of Mr. Carnegie should not for a moment be passed. Still, we can see that it could be arranged for such a procedure. A move should be made as soon as possible for the selection of a site. The offer is a handsome one to come from a foreign-born citizen in the procurement of a site for a public library. It is a singular instance of what the Scotch people have done in the cause of literature and education. I am sure the Scottish-American citizens of this city feel proud of the offer of Mr. Carnegie.

**LEONARD GREENE** of the Public Library—I had a great deal of difficulty in getting up yesterday afternoon when I heard of the magnificent offer of Mr. Carnegie. I can't say it was almost incredible. I am sure THE TRIBUNE deserves credit for what it was almost incredible. I am sure THE TRIBUNE deserved credit for what it has done in this matter and Mr. Chapman might be gratified over the offer. In the evening after THE TRIBUNE appeared everybody seemed to be talking of the magnificent donation. Several of them expressed the greatest satisfaction over it. Some people of course thought it was rather difficult to find a resident of Oakland itself, but they were not disposed to think otherwise than the offer should be immediately and generally accepted. Fifteen thousand dollars is a fine sum for a library building, but with it, however, the structure could be erected. The beautiful Public Library Building of Stockton cost \$67,000. The lot cost \$20,000 and the furnishing, and other features about \$10,000. The total cost was about \$97,000. It will take \$60,000 to put up a good building and think the city ought to be liberal in the matter and secure a lot. Mayor Snow has suggested a site near the corner of 10th and Broadway. Very little has been done in the matter of securing a site, since the subject was revived a few months ago. When we asked to have our project of a new library carried out by the commissioners, they were very much surprised to receive a suggestion that perhaps somebody might be induced to donate a site. At that time Trustee Fine had received a voluntary offer of \$40,000 from two persons. In the event that a considerable amount could be raised for a lot or in the event of the city deciding to erect a library, these sums were to be doubled. That would give a fund of \$80,000. But the matter is still open.

**WILLIAM RUTHERFORD.** Superintendent of the California Cotton Mills. That donation of Mr. Carnegie was a great thing. It was a grand thing. I have often thought that the heart of America is in THE TRIBUNE. It is a splendid thing for the city and for the Library and for its liberality there can be only one opinion. The people are talking about the offer. Mr. Carnegie and THE TRIBUNE and I congratulate you on what you have done. You have been more useful to the city than the city fathers have been for the Library. I would suggest a central locality, but I have not studied out the matter. Mr. Carnegie is a native of Dumferline, a great linen manufacturing place where fine linen damage is not unknown. The greatest manufacturing place in Scotland for the linen trade.

**CAPTAIN J. Y. MILLER.** Secretary California Cotton Mills, San Francisco. The offer of Mr. Carnegie is a fine offer. We could not have desired a better one at present. THE TRIBUNE is doing good work in this. It deserves a great deal of credit and Mr. Carnegie too should be appreciated. I hope the city will take up the matter

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offer. That would be a strange sentiment indeed to oppose an offer which had good motives as well as exceeding great liberality. I am sure the offer of Mr. Carnegie is one of the best offers of the year. It is a fine offer. The city ought to be liberal in the matter and secure a lot. Mayor Snow has suggested a site near the corner of 10th and Broadway. Very little has been done in the matter of securing a site, since the subject was revived a few months ago. When we asked to have our project of a new library carried out by the commissioners, they were very much surprised to receive a suggestion that perhaps somebody might be induced to donate a site. At that time Trustee Fine had received a voluntary offer of \$40,000 from two persons. In the event that a considerable amount could be raised for a lot or in the event of the city deciding to erect a library, these sums were to be doubled. That would give a fund of \$80,000. But the matter is still open.

**FRANCIS A. LEACH.** Superintendent of the United States Mint, San Francisco. It is a great compliment to Oakland to be selected as the beneficiary of Mr. Carnegie in the amount which has been offered. It is certainly a very liberal offer. There ought to be no question about accepting it. There ought to be a good site secured right away, a place where a proper building could be erected, such as a building containing an advantage and serve as an adornment of the town. Why would not that be a good place to locate it, just west of the High School building? There could not be anybody opposed to the acceptance of the

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# NO ULTIMATUM TO THE BOERS.

The English Cabinet Insists on a Conference at Cape Town.

**LONDON, Sept. 8.**—It is understood that the result of the Cabinet meeting established these facts: Parliament will not be summoned.

The reserves will not be called out.

Ten thousand troops will be sent to South Africa.

A reporter of the Associated Press learns that a strongly worded dispatch has been sent to the Transvaal, which will be published here immediately on its delivery there.

**THE CABINET COUNCIL.**

**LONDON, Sept. 8.**—The Cabinet Council had not exacted greater public attention than any meeting of the Ministers for years past.

A well-dressed crowd of 2,000 to 3,000 people crowded the room. On throughout the session, eagerly scrutinizing the faces of those coming and going, in the hope of obtaining a glimmering of the outcome of the momentous meeting. Two General were entirely absent, and those who appeared in the crowd evidently understood that they had been summoned to be in readiness in the event of the Ministers wishing their advice.

**GENERALES IN ATTENDANCE.**

Mr. Chamberlain, the Secretary of State, Mr. Churchill, the Under-Secretary of State, the India Secretary, were the first arrivals among the officials and were followed by Field Marshal Lord Wolseley, the Commander-in-Chief of the army, General Sir Redvers Buller, who will have the field command in the event of a war, and General Sir Evelyn Wood, Adjutant-General. The arrival of Lord Salisbury, the prime minister, was the signal for tremendous cheering. Next came the Duke of Devonshire, the Lord President of the local government board, and the Earl of Halsbury, the Lord High Chancellor, who passed unnoticed. As showing the importance of the session, the members of the Committee, the Secretary of State, the War Department and Broderick of the Foreign Office were summoned to attend.

By 10 o'clock all the Cabinet Ministers were present. It was reported that Mr. Chamberlain, Lord of the Admiralty, did not agree with some of his colleagues in the Cabinet, and there was some talk of a split.

**NO ULTIMATUM TO BOERS.**

The first indication of the possible decision of the Cabinet came from the Colonies Expenditure Account. It was reported that the Ministers had decided not to send an ultimatum to the government of the Transvaal, but to insist that the Transvaal must agree to a conference at Cape Town, but it is too early yet to give any details of the action contemplated or taken.

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# ALAMEDA COUNTY NEWS

MANY TOWNS ARE REPRESENTED

REV. ARNETT  
WILL RETIRE

TRUSTEES HOLD  
A MEETING.  
DOG POISONERS  
ARE AT WORK.

Decides to Sever Con-  
nection With Ber-  
keley Church.

BERKELEY, Sept. 8.—As announced in THE TRIBUNE several weeks ago, Rev. Arnett has decided to sever his connection with the Park Congregational Church. At the meeting last night Mr. Arnett's resolution was presented. The trustees decided to lay the matter over until the next meeting. Rev. Arnett has been with the Park Congregational Church for two years. He came to the Park in his last year of college and then lives with his family for Aurora, Missouri, to which place he has received a call.

HIGH SCHOOL.—ATHLETES.—The trackmen of the High school are preparing for the fall field day of the Academic League. The following will probably enter:

Joe Hartley, quarter-mile; Zack Hartley, half-mile; Volz, shot-put; Hammer throw, half-mile; Hayes, Javelin; high hurdles; 4x100 yards; low hurdles; Whiting, high jump; Mikels, mile walk; E. Duggan, broad and high jump; G. Harrisson, half-mile.

PINE IMPROVEMENTS.—The People's Fire Company No. 10, having failed to collect the money due, it was voted to repair the fire alarm system and make it far more serviceable. Six new members joined the roll. The company is thinking of soon holding a grand entertainment.

AN ALAMEDA DOCTOR.—R. W. Tracy and Lee Duncan have returned to town after a very profitable tour of the interior. When vacation commenced the young men started out with a supply of corn medicine and long distance calls on soft drink places. Duncan is quite a charmer, and Tully told fortunes and sold Voodoo charms. During the vacation they charged \$1.10.

A HARNESS BURGLAR.—The burglar who a couple of weeks ago entered a number of houses and made away with a few minor articles is supposed to be operating again. Wednesday evening Samson's barn on Center street was broken into and a set of harness valued at \$2 was taken. Marshalls have been on the lookout for some time, but without success.

FUNERAL OF JOSEPH GARCIA.—The funeral of the late Joseph Garcia took place yesterday from St. John's Church, Alameda. The services were at 12 M. H. Deacon had rested at 215 Catherino street for many years. He was a native of Portugal, and 70 years old. He came to California thirty-five years ago.

EDUCATION.—THE BAPTIST.—The Edgewood Baptist Church has issued a notice that the next regular meeting will be held Tuesday evening, September 12th, in Edgewood Sheep Hall. The constitution and by-laws are to be adopted, and a number of important business to be transacted.

MRS. SILVERSTEINFIELD'S TRIAL.—The trial of Mrs. Silversteinfield, accused of violating the liquor ordinance, was begun yesterday before Justice Stiles of Calumet, Indiana, for judge. There was little difficulty in securing a jury, no members of which are as follows: Fred Clark, G. E. Pratte and F. Dixon, J. N. Jacobson, D. Bowdy and F. Olson.

M. C. Jackson, who is one of the defense, outlined his case by denying that his client can be prosecuted by the town for selling liquor within the mile limit, as the sale of liquor in that district is a state offense.

ENTERTAINMENT AND DANCE.—The second example of Rhythime Siberia gave an entertainment and dance in Case Hall last night.

NEW MEMBERS.—The Alpha Sigma fraternity of the Berkeley High school has initiated Miss Helen Harper, Miss Edna Foster, Miss Helma Jones, Miss Ida Henry.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.—The following is a synopsis of the weather report for the month of August issued from the State Observatory:

The mean temperature (60°) 58.4 deg., maximum temperature, 52, 53, 54, 58 deg. greatest daily variation, 21st, 63 deg. There was no rainfall last month. During same period in 1888 the precipitation was 0.64 inches.

The mean relative humidity of the month was 86 per cent; maximum humidity, 66, 10th, 6, A. M., 97 per cent; minimum humidity, 40, 10th, 6, P. M., 70 per cent.

The mean height of clouds in feet, in just seven clear days and six fair days, the prevailing wind was southwest.

PERSONAL MENTION.—W. W. Case is at Pacific Grove. He returns next week.

J. L. Taylor and wife are camping near Danville.

R. D. Roberts isjourning at Brentwood.

J. L. Case has gone to Evanson, Ill.

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**AMUSEMENTS.**

Dewey—"The Octopus," Columbus—The dolls, Gramercy—Toys—El Capitan," "Tivoli," "Carmel," "Orpheum," "Vanderbilt," "Alcazar," "Christopher J.," Mechanics' Pavilion, San Francisco—Fair and Philippine Exhibit.

**PICNICS AT SHELL MOUND PARK.**  
September 9th—St. Rose's Parish, of San Francisco.—September 20th—Boches Krewz Picnic, Verden of San Francisco.

FRIDAY..... SEPTEMBER 8, 1899

The dragoons' war is ended. Now is indeed the time for the public to look sick.

Preserved eggs will in future be one of the chief industries of Piccadilly. Harnessing troops, take notice.

The story that Labor is likely to withdraw from the Dreyfus case is ridiculous. Such a decision at the eleventh hour would stamp with dismense a name that is now glorified the world over for the superb and able defense made against overwhelming odds. Labor is not that kind of a Frenchman.

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**PROTECT OLD GLORY!**

While the spirit of patriotism is rife in the land there who are crusading against the desecration of the American flag, by its use for advertising purposes, are taking advantage of the situation and are pressing their cause in a manner that will undoubtedly bring about the reform desired. In Chicago, the American Flag Association is rushing in to court every violation of the law that can be located, and instances are cited where a cigar-maker was fined for displaying a figure of Uncle Sam with Old Glory in his hand, a shirt company also being mulcted for a like offense. The strict interpretation that is being given to the law places it in the firing line of the president of a telephone company for using the flag on his letter-heads, and the proceedings are proving so effective that all former offenders are hastening to remove any design that can possibly get them into trouble.

A similar movement should be inaugurated here, for it falls upon the sensibilities to see the Stars and Stripes used to advertise some new form of ham, or perhaps to advocate the claims of a Neapolitan bonbonniere. The restoration of one Legislature provided a means for stamping this sort of thing, for the following law was unanimously passed by both Senate and Assembly, and being approved by the Governor, is now upon our statute books: "Any person who shall desecrate the flag of the United States, by putting thereon or attaching thereto any advertisement of any nature whatsoever, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor."

The law is a good one, and we should not permit it to become a dead letter. We are as loyal here as the citizens of any other point of the country can possibly be, and we love the flag every bit as much as they do. It should be kept sacred to its use as the national emblem, and be no more permitted to be hawked about as a catchword than a man's religion or his family. Prosecute the violators of the law and protect Old Glory to the hilt.

**A CRISIS FOR FRANCE.**

The end of the Dreyfus trial is at hand, according to the program outlined in the dispatches from Rennes; the arguments of the counsellors will be concluded this week, and the court-martial will announce its decision next Monday or Tuesday at the latest. It does not require much of a spirit of prophecy to forecast what the outcome will be, for from the very initial stages of the proceedings it has been evident that a strong prejudice existed on the part of the judges against the accused man, the feeling being so pronounced that it cropped out at times in a manner manifestly unfair.

M. Labor's tilt with Colonel Jouhaux, the presiding officer of the tribunal, indicated very clearly just how the trial is continuing for its author's sake concerning the unjust manner in which his efforts were always silenced whenever they were brought about conditions favorable to Dreyfus, shows that from the standpoint of the defense it has not been permitted to properly present its case. Such a situation, though, is easily explained when it is remembered that those engaged in the trial of Dreyfus are all military officers and subordinate to the witnesses who have endeavored to make out the case for the prosecution. It was not to be supposed that with Ministers and ex-Ministers of War, Generals in command of the army and other military bigwigs all allied against the prisoner, that the few colonels, Captain and Lieutenants forming the military tribunal would espouse his cause as against their own superiors. As regards being fair and impartial justice, that also has proved to be impossible under the conditions, for the frequent conferences between Jouhaux and M. Berget and the other officials during the intervals when the court was in session undoubtedly meant the creation of strong prejudices against the accused man.

There are some who think that the conviction of Dreyfus at least in such shape evidence as is produced at the court-martial would plunge the nation into civil war, but after a thoughtfully reviewing the situation, it does not appear that such would be the case. Nearly all the leading newspaper men and journals of France have, since the trial began, been engaged in emanating sentiment against him, and so easily swayed a people as the French race is bound to be deeply infected thereby. As to the exact position taken towards him by the government, the situation is hard to gauge for although President Loubet at the outset appeared in the role of a friend of Dreyfus, it may have been simply a shrewd move on the part of the superb and able defense made against overwhelming odds. Labor is not that kind of a Frenchman.

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The end was reached last night with an audience that responded with hearty applause to the admirable production of "The Octopus," given by the Grand Street Company. The play opened strongly to the criticism of even the most astute theater-goers, and as presented at the Dewey the sterling old favorite seems to take on the charm of novelty. Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Jasper, Mr. Edward, Mrs. John Belcher, Mrs. Carrere, Mrs. J. C. Lee and Miss Land. The manager of the glass lasted until mid-

**FIRST PRIZE GOES TO FRANCE**

Jurors Make the Award for University Plans.

The jury of five gentlemen chosen to judge the competitive designs of the Phoebe A. Hearst architectural plan for the University last night made their award and presented their verdict yesterday. The prize of invited citizens from both sides of the bay in the San Francisco Ferry building. The names of the principal contestants were unknown in connection with their work to the judges until the sealed envelopes were opened. The awards were as follows:

First prize, \$10,000; Howells, Stokes & Hemphill, New York; second prize, \$4,000; Howard & Caldwell, New York; third prize, \$2,000; Lord, Hewlett & Hull, New York; fifth

prize, \$1,000; the jurors were Jean Louis Paschal, chairman; Paul Walter, John Belcher, Walter Cook and J. B. Reinhard, four prominent architects.

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## Winding-up Sale of Shirt Waists

Our line of Summer Waists has been pretty nearly sold out. To completely wipe out all the remnants of our stock and make room for the Fall Waists we have made the final reductions, which cannot fail to have the desired effect. To be frank, there is not much of an assortment left, but the prices we have made will justify a look through the lot.

All Waists that were \$1.00 and some at 75c, reduced to 25c.

(Only sizes 38, 40 and 42 in this lot.)

All Waists that were 75c and \$1.00, reduced to 35c.

All Waists that were \$1.50 and 75c, reduced to 75c.

Note that the highest-price wash Waist in the house now is 75c.

### Fall Styles in Silk Waists.

Just received by express from New York, the latest styles in black and colored taffeta silk Waists. These are from the best manufacturers in the country and are made and finished as a first-class dressmaker would do it. These same Waists may be found in many places marked fully twenty per cent more than we have priced them.

Black Taffeta Waists, corded and tucked, in stripes, plaids and wave designs, at \$5.00, 7.50, 7.90, 8.25, and 10.90.

Colored Taffeta Waists, corded and tucked, in new designs; come in lavender, heliotrope, new blue and cardinal, at \$7.50, 7.90, 9.75 and 11.50.

When you buy these Waists, you get the kind that is worth having and that gives complete satisfaction.

### Novelties in Neckwear.

Direct from New York by express, have also come the latest styles in fancy Neckwear, consisting of Jabots, Stock Collars, Long Ties, made of net, chiffon and Liberty silk.

Long Net Ties, at 25c, 50c, 60c, 75c to \$1.40.

Chiffon and Liberty Silk Ties, 65c, 75c, 95c, \$1.25, 1.50 to 1.75.

Jabots, beautiful styles, at 50c, 75c, \$1.00, 1.25 to 2.50.

Black Chiffon Ruffs, at 75c, \$1.00, 1.50, 1.75 to 3.90.

### New Rope Portieres.

There is not a room nor hall that cannot be improved by the use of one of these handsome decorations. The former disadvantage, of being too expensive, no longer exists. We have them in handsome designs and colorings, at \$2.50, 3.75, 4.25 and 5.50.

## THEY ARE WORKERS IN THE VINEYARD OF THE LORD.

Edited by MISS DELL JEWELL, of 608 Sixteenth street, Chairman of the Alameda County C. E. Press Committee.

President Lyon has appointed the program committee for our next county convention. As it is to be held in Alameda, the committee is made up largely of Endeavorers in that city. It is as follows:

M. J. Williams, of the First Presbyterian Society, chairman; A. B. Wartell, First Presbyterian; Miss Jessie Macaray, Santa Clara Avenue; M. E. Miss Snow, First Congregational; Frank Day, Union, Twenty-third Avenue, Baptist, East Oakland.

With such an excellent committee as this, the success of the convention is assured.

### YOUNG ENTERPRISE.

The friends of Miss Belle Smith, corresponding secretary of our County Union, have received cards announcing the opening of millinery parlors at 115½ Washington street, Oakland.

Miss Smith is popular, proficient and persevering, we predict for her a successful business career.

### NEWS FROM THE PHILIPPINES.

Some of our young people who participated in the Christian Endeavor work at Camp Merritt last year will remember a young minister, Stephen R. Wood by name, who went to Manila as a chaplain. He has written an interesting letter to the Christian Endeavor World, from John (Sulu) where he is now staying, telling of his busy life in ministering to the wounded, the dying and the dead; and also of his many opportunities to proclaim the gospel of Christ to souls eager to hear it. He speaks of the great scarcity of reading matter, his small box of it having been read and re-read many times over.

Chaplain Wood expects to return to this country in September or October.

### PRAYER MEETING TOPIC.

Tropic for September 10th: At Early Christian Endeavorer. (A token meeting with the Junior Convention.) 2 P.M., 30-12; Mask 10-12; next, 21-15-16.

Let it be noted that the training or Timothy began with his grandmother, Lois, and his mother, Fannie. These good women were his first teachers. This is the order in which it can be said, "From a babe thou hast known the sacred writings which are able to make thy wife unto salvation, through faith which is in Christ Jesus." Here is a suggestion to parents and teachers. What an emphasis on the value of early religious training!

Rev. J. H. Garrison, D.D., Jesus is more readily understood by a child than by a sage.

The earlier we confess Christ, the sooner we have to serve him.

Better pure than polluted. We need make no exceptions into the far country to learn the Father's love.

Today's children will be tomorrow's church; why, then, should we not train them?

—Presbyterian C. E. Manual.

There's room for children's service in this busy world of ours;

We need them as we need the birds, and need the summer flowers;

So cheer forth at last and tell the church of God may claim,

And gather little followers in Jesus' holy name.

There's always work in plenty for the little ones to do;

Something waiting every day that none may try but you;

Little burdens you may lift little steps that you may take,

Heavy hearts that you may comfort for the blessed Savior's sake.

### The Prohibitionists.

The prohibitionists will hold an all day rally at the Howard street M. E. Church, San Francisco, tomorrow. These meetings will be held at 10 a.m., 1:30 and 7:30 p.m., respectively. A banquet will be served at 6 p.m. in the vestry. The ablest speakers in Northern California will be present.

### Hood's Pills

Do not gripe nor irritate the alimentary canal. They act gently yet promptly, cleanse effectively and

**Give Comfort**

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

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## Rattling Arraignment of Women Who Are Fighting for Suffrage--Something About Amazons.



"Especially  
**BUFFALO LITHIA WATER**  
of Virginia" for Albuminuria and Chronic Bright's Disease

**SAMUEL O. L. POTTER, A.M., M.R.C.P., London, Professor of the Principles and Practice of Medicine and Clinical Medicine in the College of Physicians and Surgeons of San Francisco, Cut, in his "Hand-book of Materia Medica, Pharmacy and Therapeutics," in the citation of remedies under the head of "Albuminuria," says:**

"**BUFFALO LITHIA WATER** recommended."

Under head of "Chronic Bright's Disease," in the citation of remedies, he says: "Mineral waters, especially the **BUFFALO LITHIA WATER** which has many advocates."

**BUFFALO LITHIA WATER** is for sale by Grocers and Druggists generally. Testimonials which defy all imputation or question sent to any address.

**PROPRIETOR, BUFFALO LITHIA SPRINGS, VIRGINIA.** Springs open for guests from June 10th to October 1st.

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was made to testify in a contradictory manner.

First Attorney Wood questioned the witness, who testified to certain facts. When Attorney Connor took hold of Mezzalina he was made to contradict his former statement.

One being pinned down, Mezzalina said he did not pay much attention to what had transpired between him and Feliz, and that he would have gone near him if he had known it was going to bring him into so much trouble.

### MANY HEIRS FOR A SMALL ESTATE.

**B. C. Hawes** has filed an application for letters of administration on the estate of Mary A. Howell, deceased. The estate consists of household furniture to the value of about \$200. The heirs are as follows: James Crophy, a son, aged 68 years, residing in Iowa; Sim Crophy, a son, aged 32 years, residing in this County; John Crophy, a son, aged 55 years, residence unknown; Matthe Howell, a daughter, aged 44 years, residing in Contra Costa County; Mrs. F. A. Campbell, a daughter, aged 42 years, residing in this County; Will Howell, a son, aged 35 years, residing in this County; Eliza C. Voorhees, a daughter, aged 44 years, residing in this County.

Under head of "Inspector" or "Inspec-

tion," the poor, you know—those dreadful, prolific poor people living in tenements and common little houses, where the one poor woman had all to do with one pair of loving hands, there was dirt, feelings? What cared the "In-

spector" for feelings? Poor! she was a reformer, and the town must be swept by her broom, he kicked out of the way by it or just gathered up and bundled off, the little ones taken from the mother and carried off to an institution to be scrubbed onto the French idea of beauty.

The organization that produced such a monstrosity, died, an old form of the "Inspector" has gone down with it. Woman, with the vote, would make a desperate attempt to legislate us all into angels. Now, I don't want to be an angel nor with the angels stand." This old world, just as it is, diet, devilment, sensibles and all is great enough for me. I have firm faith in the Creator and think He knows how to run His own business just as I think that man will do good enough for the world. It is so good as it is that woman willingly leave it. I'll have to yank out of it with my consent. Now, dear Mrs. Curtis, will you let me write an article on the subject for THE TRIBUNE with your letter entitled "Men as House-maids"? And I dare say to you that the silly women are to blame for that condition of things. If you would draw the veil of futurity aside you would see that you are making of this good old world a world of Amazons. Yours, truly,

MARY LAMBERT.

avenue, opposite the one he is now building for A. Schaffer.

### PLANS ON THE MARKET.

Plans for Mr. Eli Bishop's residence, to be erected in Piedmont, will be on the market next week from the office of Cummins Bros. Architects.

Architect Neal D. Barker is receiving bids for a large residence for Dr. John Lacoste, of Golden Gate.

Architect Neal D. Barker is receiving bids for a seven-room dwelling situated on lot 51 and N. 34, lot 62, corner of Clay and Webster streets.

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MISS M. E. BURDICK'S Notion Store, P. G. building, 262 Telegraph Avenue; GARRETT & TAGGART'S Drug Store, junction of San Pablo Avenue and Fourteenth street; JACKSON'S Pharmacy, 1737 Seventh street, West Oakland.

A. L. LEHR'S Drug and Stationery Store, 625-631 Seventh street; VOICE & KORTNER'S Grocery, Thirteenth street and Telegraph Avenue; WENTWORTH'S Drug Store, corner of Thirteenth Avenue and Fourteenth street; L. J. WESTLAKE'S Emeryville Pharmacy, San Pablo and Park avenues.

## GENERAL NOTICES

KNOW THE old watchmaker, L. E. Akerman? If not, get acquainted, at 141 Washington, near Seventh. He'll repair any damage to your watch.

BRUNSWICK HOTEL—beautiful sunny suites, nicely furnished, by the week or month.

VITAMINE—Greatest blood purifier on earth. Free sample by writing name and address at office, 1115 Brish st., corner Thirteenth st., Oakland.

HAVE YOUR ROOFS laid with galvanized iron by Louis Kahr's, 500 Franklin st.

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FOR "Up-to-date" Signs—see ALTON DORE, 500 Eleventh st., bet. San Pablo ave. and Grove st.; Tel. 4165. b

ALAMEDA Window Cleaning Company, Room 16, Broadway, Oakland, agents for the Sanitary Dust Layer. Floors and walls scrubbed; janitor work, etc. Try the Sanitary Dust Layer. It is thorough, a庶民, saves labor and sprinkling and keeps your floor from microbes. Phone 3348. b

OAKLAND TINNERS Soda Water Co., "Pioneers" and Taylor Soda Works, the only authorized agents for all Highland Spring mineral waters, Pacific Congress Water and the celebrated Iron Brew. Telephone main 633. Thirteenth and Webster sts., Oakland. b

NEW and second-hand furniture bought and sold at Broadway Homes furnished on installment plan.

BING LEE will buy out the Chinese laundry of Quong Wei at the San Glore Laundry. San Glore avenges the purchase will be made at the laundry San Glore will be made at 2 o'clock P. M. All creditors should present their bills before October 1st after that date they will not be responsible for any debts caused by Quong Wei. Please do work as quickly as possible. b

OAKLAND Window Cleaners, 1617 Broadway, cleaning show cases, looking glasses, windows, paints, doors, seals, etc., contracts by week or month. Phone 3349. G. F. Frazee. b

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FOR SALE—Large seven room, bath; a dining room; 50 ft. or more x 75. 129 Seventeenth ave., East Oakland; b

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

WINDY COTTAGE, furnished, for rent \$20; large lot; income from flowers about \$5 per month. E. E. Barnes, 108 Broadway, Oakland.

TO LET-HOUSES UNFURNISHED

OAKLAND Principal House Renting Agency, Hugh M. Cameron, 1053 Broadway, near Eleventh st.

AN ATTRACTIVE HOME—Nine rooms and bath, No. 1067 Twelfth st., near Adele st.

PARTIES wishing to hire houses in Oakland can find anything they want in that blue, bold, furnished and unfurnished, and at prices according to size and location, by calling on the undersigned. W. E. Barnard, 1118 Broadway; telephone main 10.

FOR RENT—Large 12 room suburban home with barn and stables around. Long lease. Apply Barnard, real Estate Company, 1067 Eighth st.

10141 FLAUNTING SIXTH ST.—sunny, good neighborhood; near Castro st.; rent moderate to reliable parties. Key at 123 Castro st.

FOR RENT—

one lovely 8 room cottage.

No. Modern 4 room cottage.

No. New elegant sunny upper 6 room house, Twelfth st., near Oak.

125-130 New elegant sunny lower 6 room house, Twelfth st., near Oak.

Up to date room 87 Jackson.

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Apply for list of furnished dwellings.

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WANTED—We're ready upright piano;

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WANTED—Best market fixtures; good order. 1007 Eighth st.

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BOARD and room for two young ladies \$10. Sunlight Room and Board \$25. Apply 1048 San Francisco Avenue.

BOARDED—A pleasant sunny front room for two gentlemen; with board, home cooking. Brunswick Hotel, corner Ninth and Washington.

WANTLED—One or two children to board; mother's care given; terms reasonable. Apply 105 Nineenteenth st.

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MRS. DR. DAWBS' Carbolic carburetions and all diseases of the respiration; see Dr. Garrett & Tengert, Fourth and Broadway.

DALE'S RESTORATIVE restores gray hair to its natural color. Who can afford to pay \$100 for Alameda county, Marvin Hair Store, 1060 Washington st., positive and lasting cure for wrinkles—the "Whitened." See it at 103 Clay st. Cures headache, rheumatism, etc.

TIME and money are precious, therefore, learn to play on the piano. You can buy one and have it taught to you own music, prints taught at each home, anywhere in the country, or at my residence, 103 Ninth, just off Market, formerly of Virginia, N. Y.

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DR. H. E. MILLER, physician and surgeon office 1035 Broadway, rooms 301-2, 2 to 350 p. m., 315 to 340 p. m., 2 to 211 Black, postoffice, 1032 Robert St., bet. 10th and 11th.

DR. C. C. SHENNICHE, successor of Dr. A. P. Smith, and 1 to 125 Second St., hours 8 to 10 a. m. and 1 to 3 p. m. 7 to 8 p. m. Tel. 4165; 1030 K Street.

DR. A. K. CRAWFORD, Surgeon, dentist for the eye, nose and throat, 1035 Broadway, 10th and 11th, 1035 Twelfth st., cor. West. Telephone 100-101.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—one pair rimless glasses, light green. Return to Ed. Peiper, 38 Kearny st., S. E.

LOST—a diamond watch dog six months old; black body, spotted breast and legs. 16 p. of tail spotted. Finder please return to 101 Fourth st., J. W. Legett, and recover reward.

LOST—in Oakland, Tuesday evening, a pearl scarf pin valued at \$3 keepsake. A suitable reward paid on return to 222 Haste St., Berkeley.

FOUND—a boat. Owner can have same by giving property and paying \$500. Call 103 Seventh street.

LOST—Garter, Seventeenth and Castro, pair gold chains. Return to Pacific Press, Twelfth and Castro, reward.

HOUSES AND ROOMS WANTED

MAN AND WIFE, no children, will take care of private residence during owners' absence. In return for rent best references of prominent Oakland people. Address, S. D. G., box 4, Tribune office.

OWNERS, TAKE NOTICE—We can rent desirable properties, ring 401-402.

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SPACES of nicely furnished rooms for rent, postoffice from \$4 up. 533 Twenty-fourth st., n.

TO LET—Nicely furnished front room, running water and bath; \$15 a week. 901 Telegraph.

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FOR RENT—3 or 4 neatly furnished rooms for housekeeping. 1211 West street. No children.

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SAVE your mizzenas of the war period by having them bound. Tribune Book Bindery, Gamble Hotel building.

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ONE HORN-SIG—57 San Pablo ave., a quiet, well-located ETAGAN HOME.

ENTERTAINING—Lodging house in Great Oakland, paying \$10 per month. 1211 M. 1 P. M. W. B. Hardy, Real Estate Agent, 991 Broadway, Oakland.

FINE Moline Bicycle, cost \$90, only \$15. 50 at 1265 Market st., upstairs.

ENCYCLOPEDIAS; new; most complete and up-to-date; very easy terms. Address H. A. B., Tribune office.

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# TRACK AND TRAIN.

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The general rush of business still pre-  
vails with the railroad company. Every-  
where along the division there is felt the  
effects of the more than usual heavy  
traffic.

#### WEST OAKLAND YARDS.

The West Oakland yards are filled with cars that are awaiting transportation to their various destinations. Both Sacramento and San Francisco are blocked with the freight they are handling. A great number of cars are being loaded with coal and west comes to standstill when it reaches West Oakland. At present there are about 16 cars of ten in the yards awaiting transportation east, and about 100 cars having sides put on at West Oakland. These are not on such cars as date from the sugar. The major part of it is being shipped out, but some are held in cars left on account of the weather. Some of these are shipped in cars that hold two tons and are water tight. When these cars are put into use in handling other kinds of freight the sugar has to wait until a sufficient number of these cars are obtained, but in shape for the handling of the traffic.

#### CAR SWEEPS.

The sugar cars, when they reach West Oakland, always are sweped onto the tracks by the car sweepers, the men who then sweep them by hand. They give the cars a thorough sweeping and put them in condition to receive the sugar. This is done in the yards, and the cars are loaded after the car repairing department.

When the cars are ready they are taken to the wharf to be loaded with the sugar and then sent East in railroads.

OTHER BUSINESSES.—Besides the sugar yard, there is a number of other yards through the West Oakland yards daily. Cars loaded with fruit, stock and perishable freight take preference in the yards, and the fruit yards are the main item of freight now, as it is at present the staple articles of merchandise are not stabled in the cars until there is a chance to put them in a train. Although the men who work in the yards still had it difficult to stow all the cars that come into the yards at times.

**FRUITSHIP OFFICE.**  
During the day freight clerk Jack Smith, who is in charge of the office, sits on the dash board the time they start to work and cutting time. One train is hardly disposed of until another is coming in. Although the men who work there and R difficult to keep up with their work.

#### TESTING TRAINS.

A steady freight train consisting of fifteen cars and a caboose left for Sacramento, being pulled by one engine. This is the heaviest train which has come to the yard since the accident in October last, and it is the train of the day.

Henry W. Watkins, former foreman of the freight car repairing department, has been transferred to the yard. He has been in the interests of the National Car Equipment Company. He was specially looking after some patent of Assistant Superintendent Thompson. Mr. Watkins says that he will not trade the name of Watkins for the interests of the company he is leaving.

MACHINERY SHOPS.

Work at the machine shop continues steadily. There is a demand for the engines as soon as they can be turned out of the shop, and the men are kept quite busy.

Yesterday engine 1721, which was in the school teachers' wreath at Newman, was turned out of the shop after having been repaired and overhauled.

Engines 2008 has also been turned out. The following are still in the shop: Nos. 100, 123, 135, 162, 182, 183, 184 and 185.

Moonglow master mechanic visited his ranch at Mt. Pleasant.

#### ROUND HOUSE POEM.

Jim Dodson, the poet of the round house, gave the poem yesterday as follows:

"Take up the steel, man's burden, we  
will not let you down, we'll help you have  
the strength to carry it."

Jim Eble, an assistant turner, burned his hand the other day while firing an engine.

#### ENGINES COLLIDE.

Early Saturday morning engines 1027 and 1028 came together, head to head, while they were meeting trains. Neither engine was damaged, but the fenders were considerably mangled on the part of the men to finish their work on time.

George Wright, who has charge of the engine during the day, has said that the engines must be mended in the yard to finish off the business. The same may be said of the night shift.

#### BUDGE BUILDING.

The bridge building department of the Southern and Central Pacific railroad has been working hard for the last few months. A long steel bridge over the American river, just outside of Sacramento, is about completed. The contractors seven teams, each team in charge of a section, are making rapid progress.

Owing to the high shipment of coal, the new platform has just been completed. The men are busy spraying it with whitewash. While the new platform possesses many advantages over the old, it is not so safe.

In fact, from the officer for one thing, and although it is longer and permits the spotting of a greater number of cars at one time, it also takes longer to get the platform built.

The work of tearing down the old steel car building has been finished and work on the new addition has commenced. While the alterations are being made the work inside the shops is rapidly extended owing to the lack of room and facilities.

#### ROLLING MILL BURNED.

Although business has been picked up at Long Wharf during the past week, it has not come up to the heavy rush that was on a few weeks ago. The railroad companies are still failing to make a great measure, and the summer shipments have not been very heavy for some time.

Owing to the high shipment of coal, the new platform has been completed. Most of the engines have had to be sent from the yards instead of from the bunkers. At present there is not enough labor available to meet the demand for the engines.

The locomotives are being repaired and the men are working hard to keep up with the work.

#### PERSONALS.

James W. Wadsworth, clerk in the freight office, will spend Sunday at Mountain View visiting his parents.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

**NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Sept. 8.**—Louis Martin shot and killed Tom Johnson last night. Both were negroes and quarreled over a woman.

**SHIPS.**

The company is having a large amount of coal shipped from the East for construction purposes. One car is also being shipped in large quantities. Most of the cargo is in some new fifty-ton cars with the remainder in the regular four-ton cars. The shipping is not very heavy at present. A great deal of California fruits are being shipped to Europe, where fancy prices are obtained. The European market, which has not quite broken. Most of the shipping is done from the bunkers at Port Costa. The trade of the islands is still very active. Several cars are now in the West Oakland yards awaiting transportation to the San Joaquin, which is to be sold in large numbers. It might be said

that the traffic is

Conductor Harry Holland of the Salt Lake Division has been visiting in West Oakland. He left Tuesday evening for his home at Wadsworth.

Lieutenant E. A. Pfeifer is out camping in the Cavalry. He is a good boy.

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